



Figure 2. Location of Sensitive Areas in Mission Lake.

Table 1. Wildlife Uses of Aquatic Plants in Sensitive Area 1: Mission Lake

Aquatic Plants	Fish	Water Fowl	Song and Shore Birds	Upland Game Birds	Muskrat	Beaver	Deer
<u>Submergent Plants</u>							
<i>Bidens beckii</i>		F (seeds)					
<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i>	F, I*, C, S	F(Seeds*) I, C			F		
<i>Chara</i> sp.	F*, S	F*, I*					
<i>Myriophyllum sibiricum</i>	F*, I*, S	F(Seeds, Foliage)	F(Seeds)		F		
<i>Najas flexilis</i>	F, C	F*(Seeds, Foliage)	F(Seeds)				
<i>Potamogeton illinoensis</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(Seeds)	F		F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton natans</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(Seeds, Tubers)			F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton pusillus</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(All)			F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton richardsonii</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(All)			F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton strictifolius</i>	F, C	F(Seeds)					
<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(Seeds)			F*	F	F
<i>Utricularia gibba</i>	F, C, I*	I*			F		
<i>Vallisneria americana</i>	F*, C, I, S	F*, I	F		F		

Aquatic Plants	Fish	Water Fowl	Song and Shore Birds	Upland Game Birds	Muskrat	Beaver	Deer
<u>Floating-leaf Plants</u>							
<i>Brasenia schreberi</i>	S, I, C	F(Seeds)			F	F	F
<i>Nuphar variegata</i>	F,C, I, S	F, I	F		F*	F	F*
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	F,I, S, C	F(Seeds)	F		F	F	F
<u>Emergent Plants</u>							
<i>Alnus incana</i>				F, C		F	F
<i>Asclepias incarnata</i>				Fibers for nests	Roots		
<i>Carex comosa</i>	S	F(Seeds) C	F(Seeds)	F(Seeds)	F	F	F
<i>Chamaedaphne calyculata</i>				F			F
<i>Typha latifolia</i>	I, C, S	F(Entire) C	F(Seeds) C, Nest	Nest	F* (Entire) C*, Lodge	F	

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Table 2. Wildlife Uses of Aquatic Plants in Sensitive Area 2: Mission Lake

Aquatic Plants	Fish	Water Fowl	Song and Shore Birds	Upland Game Birds	Muskrat	Beaver	Deer
<u>Submergent Plants</u>							
<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i>	F, I*, C, S	F(Seeds*) I, C			F		
<i>Chara</i> sp.	F*, S	F*, I*					
<i>Elodea canadensis</i>	C, F, I	F(Foliage) I					
<i>Myriophyllum sibiricum</i>	F*, I*, S	F(Seeds, Foliage)	F(Seeds)		F		
<i>Najas flexilis</i>	F, C	F*(Seeds, Foliage)	F(Seeds)				
<i>Potamogeton foliosus</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(All)			F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton natans</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(Seeds, Tubers)			F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton pusillus</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(All)			F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton richardsonii</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(All)			F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton strictifolius</i>	F, C	F(Seeds)					
<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(Seeds)			F*	F	F
<i>Vallisneria americana</i>	F*, C, I, S	F*, I	F		F		

Aquatic Plants	Fish	Water Fowl	Song and Shore Birds	Upland Game Birds	Muskrat	Beaver	Deer
<u>Floating-leaf Plants</u>							
<i>Brasenia schreberi</i>	S, I, C	F(Seeds)			F	F	F
<i>Nuphar variegata</i>	F,C, I, S	F, I	F		F*	F	F*
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	F,I, S, C	F(Seeds)	F		F	F	F
<u>Emergent Plants</u>							
<i>Alnus incana</i>				F, C		F	F
<i>Cornus spp.</i>			F (berry)	F (berry)		F	F (berry)
<i>Iris versicolor</i>		F, C	F		F		
<i>Typha latifolia</i>	I, C, S	F(Entire) C	F(Seeds) C, Nest	Nest	F* (Entire) C*, Lodge	F	

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Table 3.

Wildlife Uses of Aquatic Plants in Site 3: Mission Lake

Aquatic Plants	Fish	Water Fowl	Song and Shore Birds	Upland Game Birds	Muskrat	Beaver	Deer
Submergent Plants							
<i>Bidens beckii</i>		F (seeds)					
<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i>	F, I*, C, S	F(Seeds*), I, C			F		
<i>Chara</i> sp.	F*, S	F*, I*					
<i>Elodea canadensis</i>	C, F, I	F(Foliage) I					
<i>Myriophyllum sibiricum</i>	F*, I*, S	F(Seeds, Foliage)	F(Seeds)		F		
<i>Najas flexilis</i>	F, C	F*(Seeds, Foliage)	F(Seeds)				
<i>Potamogeton gramineus</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(Seeds, Tubers)			F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton pusillus</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(All)			F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton richardsonii</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(All)			F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(Seeds)			F*	F	F
Emergent Plants							
<i>Sagittaria latifolia</i>		F, C	F(Seeds), C	F	F	F	

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Aquatic Plants	Fish	Water Fowl	Song and Shore Birds	Upland Game Birds	Muskrat	Beaver	Deer
<u>Floating-leaf Plants</u>							
<i>Brasenia schreberi</i>	S, I, C	F(Seeds)			F	F	F
<i>Nuphar variegata</i>	F,C, I, S	F, I	F		F*	F	F*
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	F,I, S, C	F(Seeds)	F		F	F	F
<u>Emergent Plants</u>							
<i>Alnus incana</i>				F, C		F	F
<i>Chamaedaphne calyculata</i>				F			F
<i>Sagittaria sp.</i>		F*, C	F(Seeds), C	F, C	F	F	

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Table 5. Wildlife Uses of Aquatic Plants in Sensitive Area 5: Mission Lake

Aquatic Plants	Fish	Water Fowl	Song and Shore Birds	Game Birds	Muskrat	Beaver	Deer
<u>Submergent Plants</u>							
<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i>	F, I*, C, S	F(Seeds*) I, C			F		
<i>Chara</i> sp.	F*, S	F*, I*					
<i>Elodea canadensis</i>	C, F, I	F(Foliage) I					
<i>Myriophyllum sibiricum</i>	F*, I*, S	FSeeds/Foliage	F(Seeds)		F		
<i>Najas flexilis</i>	F, C	F*Seeds/Foliag	F(Seeds)				
<i>Najas guadalupensis</i>	F, C	F*Seeds/Foliage					
<i>Potamogeton gramineus</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*Seeds/Tuber			F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton illinoensis</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(Seeds)	F		F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton richardsonii</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(All)			F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	F, I, S*, C	F*(Seeds)			F*	F	F
<i>Sagittaria</i> sp.		F*, C	F(Seeds), C	F, C	F	F	
<i>Vallisneria americana</i>	F*, C, I, S	F*, I	F		F		
<i>Zosterella dubia</i>	F, C, S	F(Seeds)					
<u>Floating-leaf Plants</u>							
<i>Brasenia schreberi</i>	S, I, C	F(Seeds)			F	F	F
<i>Nuphar variegata</i>	F, C, I, S	F, I	F		F*	F	F*
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	F, I, S, C	F(Seeds)	F		F	F	F

Aquatic Plants	Fish	Water Fowl	Song and Shore Birds	Upland Game Birds	Muskrat	Beaver	Deer
<u>Floating-leaf Plants</u>							
<i>Brasenia schreberi</i>	S, I, C	F(Seeds)			F	F	F
<i>Nuphar variegata</i>	F,C, I, S	F, I	F		F*	F	F*
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	F,I, S, C	F(Seeds)	F		F	F	F
<i>Polygonum amphibium</i>	I, S	F*(Seeds)		F(Seeds)	F(Seeds)		F(Seeds)
<i>Spirodela polyrhiza</i>	F	F		F			
<u>Emergent Plants</u>							
<i>Alnus incana</i>				F, C		F	F
<i>Asclepias incarnata</i>				Fibers for nests	Roots		
<i>Calamagrostis spp.</i>					F*		F*
<i>Chamaedaphne calyculata</i>				F			F
<i>Eleocharis smallii (palustris)</i>	I	F, C					
<i>Equisetum fluviatile</i>		F		F	F		
<i>Pontederia cordata</i>	F, I, C	F*(Seeds), C			F		
<i>Typha latifolia</i>	I, C, S	F, C	F(Seeds), C, Nest	Nest	F* C* Lodge	F	

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Aquatic Plants	Fish	Water Fowl	Song and Shore Birds	Upland Game Birds	Muskrat	Beaver	Deer
<u>Submergent Plants</u>							
<i>Chara</i> sp.	F*, S	F*, I*					
<i>Elodea canadensis</i>	C, F, I	F-Foliage I					
<i>Najas flexilis</i>	F, C	F*(Seeds, Foliage)	F(Seeds)				
<i>Potamogeton foliosus</i>	F, I, S*,C	F*(All)			F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton illinoensis</i>	F, I, S*,C	F*(Seeds)	F		F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton richardsonii</i>	F, I, S*,C	F*(All)			F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	F, I, S*,C	F*(Seeds)			F*	F	F
<i>Vallisneria americana</i>	F*, C, I, S	F*, I	F		F		
<u>Emergent Plants</u>							
<i>Alnus incana</i>				F, C		F	F
<i>Calamagrostis</i> spp.					F*		F*
<i>Carex</i> spp.	S	F(Seeds) C	F(Seeds)	F(Seeds)	F	F	F
<i>Chamaedaphne calyculata</i>				F			F
<i>Eleocharis smallii</i> (<i>palustris</i>)	I	F, C					
<i>Typha latifolia</i>	I, C, S	F(Entire) C	F(Seeds), C, Nest	Nest	F* C*, Lodge	F	

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Table 8. Wildlife Uses of Aquatic Plants in Sensitive Area 8: Mission Lake

Aquatic Plants	Fish	Water Fowl	Song and Shore Birds	Muskrat	Beaver	Deer
<u>Submergent Plants</u>						
<i>Chara</i> sp.	F*, S	F*, I*				
<i>Myriophyllum sibiricum</i>	F*, I*, S	F(Seeds, Foliage)	F(Seeds)	F		
<i>Najas flexilis</i>	F, C	F*(Seeds, Foliage)	F(Seeds)			
<i>Potamogeton illinoensis</i>	F, I, S*,C	F*(Seeds)	F	F*	F	F
<i>Potamogeton richardsonii</i>	F, I, S*,C	F*(All)		F*	F	F
<i>Vallisneria americana</i>	F*, C, I, S	F*, I	F	F		
<u>Floating-leaf Plants</u>						
<i>Nuphar variegata</i>	F,C, I, S	F, I	F	F*	F	F*

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